

Claim 24 (new). The positive photosensitive resin composition as claimed in claim 2, wherein said polymer which has alicyclic hydrocarbon skeletons and decomposes under the action of an acid to become alkali soluble contains a repeating unit selected from the group consisting of repeating units having the structural formulas (b-1) to (b-8):

$$+CH_{2}\cdot CR + +CH_{2}\cdot CR +$$

Claim 25 (new). The positive photosensitive resin composition as claimed in claim 9, wherein said polymer which has alieyclic hydrocarbon skeletons and decomposes under the action of an acid to become alkali soluble contains a repeating unit selected from the group consisting of repeating units having the structural formulas (b-1) to (b-8):

(b-1) (b-2) (b-5)

Claim 26 (new). The positive photosensitive resin composition as claimed in claim 16, wherein said polymer which has alicyclic hydrocarbon skeletons and decomposes under the action of an acid to become alkali soluble contains a repeating unit selected from the group consisting of repeating units having the structural formulas (b-1) to (b-8):